



**World Federation Newswire, 17 August 2011**

*In the name of Allah, the Most Kind, the Most Merciful*

## **News and Events**

### **The World Federation News**

#### **Ramadhan Relief 1432: \$484,000 USD distributed in Iftaar Baskets, hot meals and emergency aid including East Africa famine crises**

This year, we are working in 12 countries to assist struggling families, widows, orphans, seniors and the disabled in an effort to make the month of Ramadhan a little easier. As well, given the urgent food needs of drought victims of the East Africa Famine Crisis, The World Federation is also providing emergency aid to families situated along the Kenya/Somalia border.

#### **Haiti Visit June 2011 (Part 1): The World Federation visits Haiti as part of the rebuilding programme**

In June 2011, The World Federation visited the Al Mahdi Islamic Centre and School in Haiti following the great earthquake of 12 January 2010 that devastated an already impoverished nation. This 5-day visit was made by the Relief Manager of International Relief and Development of The World Federation, Kaniz Bhimani.

#### **Ramadhan Relief 1432: 17 children and youth worldwide raise over £4,000 to date to conquer hunger**

This Ramadhan, The World Federation invited children and youth from around the world to join our campaign against hunger by raising awareness and fundraising for the annual Ramadhan Relief Fund.

### **ZCSS educating 5610 students**

The programme currently sponsors 5,311 students in primary education while 299 students are being sponsored to complete their secondary education. Many of the schools are based in remote villages such as Khujwa a village in India's poorest state Bihar.

### **Europe**

#### **Muhammadi Madrasah Ramadhan Relief Appeal Night**

On Saturday 13th August youngsters of KSIMC Birmingham got involved in trying to raise funds towards Ramadhan Relief. In total alhamdulillah the event raised over £900.

#### **Voices of Passion New CD – An Offering 1432/2011**

Voices of Passion are pleased to announce the latest compilation CD of English Qasida. Entitled "An Offering 1432/2011" this CD once again contains praise and remembrance of Allah(s.w.t.), The Holy Prophet (s.a.w.w.) and the Ahlul-Bayt (a.s.)

### **Africa**

#### **The Education Board Secretariat News Flash**

The Africa Federation Education Board has published its latest News Flash. Read more about the board's recent activities, including the Haji Mohammed Khakhi Education Loan and pursuing higher education in South Africa.

#### **Soaring Higher – Issue 5**

Soaring Higher, a publication of the Education Board of Africa Federation is brought to the students of the schools

that are under the constituent members of the Africa Federation, and those who have continued on to University.

## **North America**

### **North American Golfers Raise \$26,000 for Charity**

At the recently concluded Annual Haider Cup Charity Golf Tournament, held in St. Augustine, FL (north of Orlando), 56 golfers from various cities in North America raised approximately \$26,000 for Hussein Islamic Center of Orlando's investment charity fund.

## **Pakistan**

### **KSI Senior Citizens Forum Newsletter – July 2011**

The KSI Senior Citizens Forum, Karachi has released its July 2011 newsletter. The seniors have participated in several events and activities over the month.

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